

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:  
**ZHANG et al.**

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For: **AIR FLUX DIRECTOR SYSTEM FOR X-RAY TUBES**

**AMENDMENT**

Attn: **Mail Stop Amendment**  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on November 28, 2007, Applicants submit herewith the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.